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"IONISING PARTICLE ANALYSER ENABLING FOR EXAMPLE THE SEPARATION OF THE FLUORESCENT YIELD (FY) AND THE TOTAL ELECTRON YIELD (TEY) IN EXAFS (EXTENDED X-RAY ABSORPTION FINE STRUCTURE) MEASUREMENTS"

SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a declaration and power of attorney wherein power is given to the attorneys associated with Customer No. 023409.

A Notice of Acceptance has already been received in this case granting a filing date of March 9, 2006. The declaration filed in corresponding international patent application No. PCT/GB04/03680 was accepted by the United States Patent Office. Therefore, the purpose of the declaration and power of attorney submitted with this paper is to give power to the attorneys associated with Customer No. 023409.

Respectfully submitted,

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